# Traditional Arts & Folklife Listing Application Form New Hampshire State Council on the Arts FY05 APPLICATION DEADLINE: April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2004



## PLEASE TYPE YOUR RESPONSES OR PRINT VERY CLEARLY

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SUBMIT THE ORIGINAL APPLICATION FORM AND KEEP A COPY FOR YOUR FILES.

| 1. ARTIST INFORMATION:   |                              |                          |                |  |  |  |
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| Name:  |                              |                          |                |  |  |  |
| Mailing Address:   | City/Town:                   | State:                   | ZIP:           |  |  |  |
| Daytime Phone:   | Evening Phone:               | ng Phone: Fax: E-mail:   |                |  |  |  |
| Date of Birth:   | Place of Birth:              | Birth:                   |                |  |  |  |
| Ethnic/ Cultural Background:   |                              |                          |                |  |  |  |
| I AM APPLYING AS A:  |                              |                          |                |  |  |  |
| ☐ Traditional Artist ☐ Folklorist / Community Scholar  |                              |                          |                |  |  |  |
| 3. TRADITIONAL ART FORM/S:   |                              |                          |                |  |  |  |
| What is the traditional art form/s do  | you specialize in?           |                          |                |  |  |  |
| Culture/Ethnicity of the art form:   |                              |                          |                |  |  |  |
| Check the boxes that are appropriate Music and/or Dance  |                              |                          |                |  |  |  |
| 4. CERTIFICATION & RELEASE CLA   | AUSE:                        |                          |                |  |  |  |
| I give hereby give certify that the abinformation, image and a brief backgon the Arts Traditional Arts & Folkl | ground to be published in th | ne New Hampshire State C | ouncil (NHSCA) |  |  |  |
| Signature  | Date                         |                          |                |  |  |  |
| Note: If artist is under 16 years of   | age, a parent or guardian    | must sign below          |                |  |  |  |
| Signature of Parent or Guard   | ian Date                     |                          |                |  |  |  |
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| 5. Services Provided:   |
| What types of presentations do you give? (please check all that apply to you)  ☐ Demonstrations ☐ Performances ☐ Hands-on workshops ☐ Lectures ☐ Other (please describe in the space below)   |
| Where do you prefer to present, demonstrate, or perform? (please check all that apply to you)  ☐ Schools ☐ Community locations such as libraries, historic societies, etc. ☐ Fairs and festivals ☐ Museum settings ☐ Lecture halls ☐ Other (please describe in the space below)   |
| What age group(s) do you prefer working with? (please check all that apply to you)  ☐ Kindergarten to 4 <sup>th</sup> grade ☐ 6 <sup>th</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> grade ☐ College Level ☐ Adults ☐ Elderly ☐ Other (please describe below)  |
| 6. Availability:  What region(s) of the state would you prefer to work in? (please check all that apply to you)  ☐ Merrimack Valley ☐ Dartmouth-Sunapee ☐ Seacoast ☐ White Mountains ☐ Great North Woods ☐ Other (please describe)  |
| When are you available to give presentations? (please check all that apply to you)  □ Daytime □ Evening   |
| What time of the year are you available? (please check all that apply to you)  ☐ Spring ☐ Summer ☐ Fall ☐ Winter  |
| 7. Fees: The Traditional Arts Office urges organizations to compensate traditional artists at least \$125 per day or presentation and to provide overnight lodging for artists driving more than 2-3 hours one way. If you have higher fee, we can include this with your information. What fee range do you generally request?  \$ |
| 8. Background:  |
| We would like to include two to three paragraphs of background information about you and your tradition is the <i>Traditional Arts &amp; Folklife Listing</i> . The questions below will help us prepare accurate information. Please use additional sheets if needed.  |
| * Where and when were you born?   |

★ If not originally from NH, how long have you lived in here?

★ If not living in NH, how long you have lived in VT, ME, or MA? \_\_\_\_\_\_

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| How did you first get involved with or learn your tradition and how long have you been active in your art form?   |
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| What kinds of community activities, performances, lectures, or teaching that you have been involved with? Have you received any recognition, awards, certificates or won any competitions related to your tradition? If so, can you list the most important to you? |
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| What do you enjoy most about your tradition and why is it important to preserve?  |
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### **GUIDELINES FOR SUPPORT MATERIALS**

If your tradition is a *CRAFT* please include *PHOTOGRAPHS, SLIDES, OR A VIDEO TAPE* of your work. You may submit an actual sample of your work to view at the interview, but the State Arts Council cannot accept liability for loss or damage.

If your tradition is a *PERFORMING ART*, please include an *AUDIO-CASSETTE OR VIDEOTAPE* of your work.

### PREPARING YOU SUPPORT MATERIALS:

**IMPORTANT:** Please label all items. If you would like to have your materials returned, please include a self-addressed postage paid envelope with your application!

- \* *Photographs* should be mounted on photo album pages and identified with a caption or labels explaining what is being featured in the photograph, the approximate size of the work (for a craft), or the location of the performance (for music & dance).
- \* *Color Slides* should be submitted in slide sheets and numbered with no more than 40 slides. Please include a slide "key" with numbers that correspond to the numbers on the slides. On the slide "key," please identify each image with a caption explaining what is being featured in the image, the approximate size of the work (for a craft), or the location of the performance (for music & dance).
- \* *Audio-cassettes* of an original recording should include at lease two musical selections. Please identify each performance with a brief announcement.
- \* Compact Discs should be labeled. Please attach a note indicating which tracks you would like us to listen to
- \* *Video Tapes* should include at least 10 minutes of performance. If more than one individual is featured in the videotape, please provide a note explaining how to identify person applying to be on the *Traditional Arts & Folklife Listing*. Please cue up the videotape to the section you would like us to view.
- \* Original Artwork such as a quilt, basket, or wood carving, etc. may be submitted but the State Arts Council cannot assume responsibility for the loss, damage, or return shipping of these items and will be asked to sign a release form when dropping off the item. When submitting original work, please pack it in a suitable box and label both the item and the box. Applicants will be notified when the item/s can be picked up.

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|        | Photographs           |        | Color Slides               |         | Audio Cassettes   |
|        | Compact Discs         |        | Video Tapes                |         | Support Letters   |
|        | Original Art          |        | Other: (please specify)    |         |                   |

Please CHECK the type of support materials you are including in this application